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FM AMCONSUL KADUNA

TO AMEMBASSY LAGOS NIACT IMMEDIATE

AMCONSUL IBADAN NIACT IMMEDIATE

SECSTATE WASHDC 3522

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E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: PINS, NI

SUBJECT: DEMONSTRATION BY ABU STUDENTS

1. AT 0940 LOCAL GROUP OF ABOUT 100-150 YOUNG NIGERIANS  
OBSERVED GATHERING IN FRONT OF CONSULATE. PRESUME THEY  
ARE ABU STUDENTS CARRYING OUT "PEACE MARCH" TO KADUNA IN MEMORY  
MURITALA MOHAMMED (P.13 NEW NIGERIAN, FEB 11). HAVE TELEPHONED  
COMMISSIONER OF POLICE WHO SAYS "DONT WORRY THEY WILL BE MOVING ON  
SHORTLY, MY PEOPLE ARE ON THE SCENE." (HOWEVER NO UNIFORMED POLICE  
IN EVIDENCE.)

2. BEFORE THIS SHORT DRAFT FINISHED, GROUP HAD MOVED OFF.  
FSLES WHO MINGLED WITH CROWD SAID IT HEADING FOR GOVERNMENT  
HOUSE. AIM OF DEMONSTRATION (IN ADDITION MEMORIAL TO  
MOHAMMED) SAID TO BE TO PUSH GOVERNMENT FOR RELEASE "MINORITY  
REPORT" ON CONSTITUTION. WHEN ONE STUDENT ASKED WHY GROUP  
FORMING HERE (IN FRONT OF CONSULATE USIS AND KADUNA CAPITOL  
DEVELOPMENT BOARD), RESPONSE WAS "BECAUSE EVERYONE KNOWS  
WHERE USIS AND KCDB LOCATED."

3. ONE MILDLY ANTI-BRITISH, ONE ANTI-GOWAN AND SEVERAL  
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MURITALA MEMORIAL PLACARDS OBSERVED. HAVE ADVISED BRITISH DHC  
OF DEVELOPMENTS HERE.

4. COMMENT: DOES NOT REPEAT NOT APPEAR WE WILL HAVE TROUBLE  
TODAY. EMBASSY AND CONSULATE IBADAN MAY WISH BE ALERT FOR  
POSSIBLE MANIFESTATIONS.

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